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Given the extraordinary events created by the 9.0 earthquake in north-east Japan, I decided to put together this special edition to provide you with a number of Internet links to information and resources related to Japan, the earthquake/tsunami relief, and other Japanese related materials.

I highly recommend examining the External Links section of the Wikipedia page on Japan for many more sources of information about Japan.

I hope you find this information helpful and useful. Please feel free to share this information with others. I sincerely hope that most of you have been able to contribute in some small way to the relief efforts by making a donation to the organization of your choice.

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The information in this special edition has come from a variety of sources, predominantly through various Internet searches.

WHERE IN THE WORLD ZONE

JAPAN

C.I.A. WORLD FACTBOOK JAPAN

https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/ja.html <https://www.cia.gov/library/publications/the-world-factbook/geos/ja.htm\ l>

WIKIPEDIA JAPAN

http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japan <http://en.wikipedia.org/wiki/Japan>

RADIO STATION WORLD JAPAN

http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Japan/ <http://radiostationworld.com/Locations/Japan/>

This is a listing of Japanese radio stations and broadcasting organizations.

ONLINE NEWSPAPERS JAPAN

http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/japan.htm <http://www.onlinenewspapers.com/japan.htm>

This is a listing of newspapers from Japan

THE RADIO ZONE

NKH WORLD ENGLISH

http://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/ <http://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/>

NHK WORLD is NHK's international broadcast service. NHK operates international television, radio and Internet services. Together, they are known as NHK WORLD

RADIO JAPAN SHORTWAVE SERVICE

http://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/english/radio/program/index.html <http://www3.nhk.or.jp/nhkworld/english/radio/program/index.html>

Radio Japan broadcasts worldwide on shortwave. Here is their webpage with complete times and frequencies for their broadcasts. You can also listen here on-line.

RADIOREFERENCE.COM JAPAN EARTHQUAKE & TSUNAMI 2011

http://wiki.radioreference.com/index.php/Japan_Earthquake_and_Tsunami_20\
11
<http://wiki.radioreference.com/index.php/Japan_Earthquake_and_Tsunami_2\
011>

This page will serve as a collection point for radio communications data related to the quake and tsunami.

THE GENERAL ZONE

JAPAN EARTHQUAKE 2011

http://japan-earthquake.org/ <http://japan-earthquake.org/>

This is a Word Press blog page focusing on events relating to the earthquake, tsunami and nuclear power stations.

JAPAN EARTHQUAKE FACEBOOK PAGE

http://www.facebook.com/home.php#!/JapanEarthquake
<http://www.facebook.com/home.php#!/JapanEarthquake>

Close to 12,000 people have joined this page. It includes news, updates, photographs, etc.

GOOGLE CRISIS RESPONSE - 2011 JAPANESE EARTHQUAKE AND TSUNAMI

http://www.google.com/crisisresponse/japanquake2011.html
<http://www.google.com/crisisresponse/japanquake2011.html>

On this page Google is providing the information regarding the disaster and damage with real-time updates.

JAPANESE EARTHQUAKE & TSUNAMI HOW TO HELP

http://news.yahoo.com/s/yblog_newsroom/japan-earthquake-and-tsunami-how-\
to-help
<http://news.yahoo.com/s/yblog_newsroom/japan-earthquake-and-tsunami-how\
-to-help>

This page from Yahoo lists ways to help those affected in Japan, including a list of legitimate, authorized aid organizations.

WORLD WATCH MONITOR

http://monitor.airsecurity.com/ <http://monitor.airsecurity.com/>

The World Watch Monitor was first activated on the morning of September 11, 2001. Its primary purpose was to provide a timeline of events so that corporations and individuals could quickly and easily obtain an update of the ongoing situation. During its first 72-hours of operation, the World Watch Monitor received more than 1 million hits. In addition to providing a useful service to the community during a time of crisis, the transcript of the first World Watch Monitor now serves as a historical document, representing perhaps the only minute-by-minute timeline of the tragic events of September 11th.

Since then, the World Watch Monitor has been activated on only a handful occasions and is generally reserved for critical situations. It was activated as a result of the Japanese earthquake and tsunami.

UNITED STATES GEOLOGICAL SURVEY

http://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/eqinthenews/2011/usc0001xgp/#deta\
ils
<http://earthquake.usgs.gov/earthquakes/eqinthenews/2011/usc0001xgp/#det\
ails>

Here you'll see all the technical data, including maps, relating to
the Japanese earthquake.

WORD PRESS.COM BLOGS ABOUT JAPANESE EARTHQUAKE

http://en.wordpress.com/tag/japanese-earthquake/
<http://en.wordpress.com/tag/japanese-earthquake/>

This is a page of links to various blogs on subjects related to the
Japanese earthquake & tsunami.

INTERNATIONAL ATOMIC ENERGY AGENCY

http://www.iaea.org/ <http://www.iaea.org/>

The agency is issuing news and updates regularly on the situation with
the Japanese nuclear power stations.

WORLD HEALTH ORGANIZATION JAPAN EARTHQUAKE & TSUNAMI

http://www.who.int/hac/crises/jpn/en/
<http://www.who.int/hac/crises/jpn/en/>

The WHO has set up this "Health Action in Crises" webpage
relating to the Japan crisis.

THE RESOURCES ZONE

The following is a listing of clubs, groups, radio broadcasts and other
resources that may be of interest to you.

THE CANADIAN INTERNATIONAL DX CLUB (CIDX)

CIDX is Canada's national radio monitoring club, serving radio hobbyists
since 1962. Our monthly newsletter, MESSENGER, now published
electronically, covers all aspects of the radio monitoring hobby.

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format) is available to you for the asking. Just send along an e-mail
to cidxclub@... <mailto:cidxclub@...> , with a valid return
e-mail address and you'll receive your copy by return e-mail. Our
March edition is now available. Membership, at the low cost of $10 per
year, is open to radio hobbyists worldwide.

Please visit the CIDX web page at http://www.cidx.ca
<http://www.cidx.ca/>

PRIME TIME SHORTWAVE

Prime Time Shortwave is a listing of English shortwave broadcast that are updated on a weekly basis by webmasters Daniel Sampson and Ernest Riley. The schedules are constantly updated from various print and internet sources as well as from monitoring by the webmaster and other shortwave listeners and DXers. The shortwave schedules are available by time, country and frequency format. Also, they are available in ASCII, DBase, Excel and PalmOS formats (Dan Lyddy creates the PalmOS file). You will also find links to some of the best radio related websites and to the international broadcasters and time conversion charts (some provided by Craig Braun). Please visit the Prime Time Shortwave webpage at

http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/ <http://www.primetimeshortwave.com/>

THE INTERNATIONAL RADIO REPORT

The International Radio Report, now in its 22nd year on CKUT-FM, 90.3 FM in Montreal, is available via the Internet live streaming, and on the airwaves of CKUT, Sunday mornings at 10:30 AM Eastern (1430 UTC). The show's co-hosts, Janice Laws and Sheldon Harvey, present a weekly half-hour of news, information and developments in radio broadcasting.

Visit the CKUT web page for full CKUT programming details.

http://www.ckut.ca <http://www.ckut.ca/>

You may listen to archived editions of the programme through the CKUT web site. Send your comments or questions to the International Radio Report, by e-mail, to radioreport@...
<mailto:radioreport@...>

RADIO CANADA INTERNATIONAL

RCI's new schedules have been posted on the "Schedules and Frequencies" page of the RCI website at the following address:

http://www.rcinet.ca/rci/en/horaires.shtml
<http://www.rcinet.ca/rci/en/horaires.shtml>

You will find not only our shortwave broadcast schedules, but also the schedules for our three, 24-hour per day satellite channels on the HotBird satellite (Europe/North Africa/Middle East), and for the RCI Plus channel on Sirius Satellite Radio. Stay in touch with Canada via Radio Canada International.

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